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## Two New Training Opportunities for Housing Counselors:

### 1. National Housing Resource Center Training:

- March 23, 2015 - Webinar: Advocacy and Lobbying Rules for Housing Counseling Agencies. 3:00 PM Eastern Time. Learn about the federal rules for nonprofits and lobbying. This webinar will cover the legal basics, distinguishing between lobbying and advocacy/education under federal tax law. It will explain what lobbying is; provide definitions of lobbying - and examples of what does not constitute lobbying; How to track lobbying; and What can and cannot be done with government funds. Sponsored by the National Housing Resource Center and the Alliance for Justice. Register [on-line](#).

### 2. Counselor's Corner Training: Webinar: Rights and Responsibilities of Homeownership and Tenancy. Sponsored by The Counselor's Corner. This two-hour webinar is a refresher class to help build competency in this counseling topic. There is a fee for this webinar. Attendees must pass a short test after the webinar to receive a Certificate of Completion. For more information visit [The Counselor's Corner website](#).

- March 25, 2015 - Register [on-line](#).
- March 27, 2015 - Register [on-line](#).

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  - [HUD Housing Counseling Webpage](#)
  - [The Bridge Housing Counseling Newsletter Archive](#)
  - [Housing Counseling Listserv Archive](#)
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